IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Application of MESTRICK ET AL

່Serial No.

09/647,479

Group Art Unit: 1714

Filed: September 29, 2000

Examiner: Shosho

For:

COMPOSITION BASED

ON WATER-DISSIPATABLE

POLYURETHANE

November 2, 2001

AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 8, 2001, please amend the above application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please enter the following amended claims:

- 1. (Amended) A composition comprising water-dissipatable polyurethane having a weight average molecular weight less than 25,000, water, colorant, a water-miscible organic solvent and a water-immiscible organic solvent.
- 3. (Amended) A composition according to claim 1 wherein the colorant is soluble in the polyurethane.

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE PATENT APPLICATION 1714 Group Art U Inventor(s): MEYRICK ET AL Examiner: Shosho Appln. No.: 09 647.479 Atty. Dkt. 271586 SMC60285/UST Series Code ↑ Serial No. ↑ M# Client Ref Filed: September 29, 2000 Appln. Title: COMPOSITION BASED ON WATER-DISSIPATABLE POLYURETHANE umissioner of Patents Vashington, 🗫 20231 MON 0 5 5001 REPLY/AMENDMENT/LETTER Date: November 2, 2001 (kg) is a restitation and includes the herewith attachment of same date and subject which is incorporated hereinto by reference and the signature below is treated as the signature to the attachment in absence of a signature thereto. FEE REQUIREMENTS FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED 1. Small Entity claim For B & C A. MOT made Claims Present Extra Large/Small Entity Additional Fee Code Highest number See Required B. Withdrawn remaining after previously paid for Fee Separate Paper C. made herewith amendment Lg/Sm (Pat-256) D. \square made previously 2. Total Effective Claims 103/203 **minus 0 0 x \$18/\$9 =+ \$0 102/202 ***minus x \$84/\$42 = + \$0 3. Independent Claims 4. If amendment enters proper multiple dependent claim(s) into this application for first time (leave blank if this is a reissue application)......add + \$280/\$140 = + \$0 104/204 5. Original due Date: November 8, 2001 ☐ NONE 6. Petition is hereby made to extend the original due \$110/\$55 = 115/215 (1 mo) + \$0 116/216 date to cover the date this response is filed for which the \$400/\$200 = (2 mos) 117/217 requisite fee is attached \$920/\$460 = (3 mos) 118/218 \$1,440/\$720= (Usable only for ≤ 2 mo.OA - - - 4 mos) 128/228 (Usable only for 30 day/1mo.OA - - - 5 mos) \$1,960/\$980= 7. Enter any previous extension fee paid since above original due date and subtract - \$0 **Extension Fee Attached** + \$0 9. If Terminal Disclaimer attached, add Rule 20(d) official fee 148/248 + \$110/\$55 + \$0 10. If IDS attached requires Official Fee under Rule 97 (c), add 126 + \$130 + \$0 126 or if Rule 97(d) Requestadd + \$180 11. After-Final Request Fee per rules 129(a) and 17(r) + \$740/370 + \$0146/246 12. No. of additional inventions for examination per Rule 129(b) 149/249 x \$740/370 ea + \$0 13. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) + \$740/370 + \$0 1179/1279 14. Petition fee for + \$0 \$0 15. **TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED =** 16. *If the entry in this space is less than entry in next space, the "Present Extra" result is "0" 17. **If the "Highest number previously paid for" in this space is less than 20, write "20" in this space. 18. ***If the "Highest number previously paid for" in this space is less than 3, write "3" in this space. Our Deposit Account No. 03-3975) (Our Order No. 70662 271586 CHARGE STATEMENT: The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee specifically authorized hereafter, or any missing or insufficient fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith or concerning any paper filed hereafter, and which may be required under Rules 16-18 (missing or insufficiencies only) now or hereafter relative to this application and the resulting Official Document under Rule 20, or credit any overpayment, to our Accounting/Order Nos, shown above, for which purpose a duplicate copy of this sheet is attached. This CHARGE STATEMENT does not authorize charge of the issue fee until/unless an issue fee transmittal sheet is Query: Is appeal deadline now? If filed. so, file Notice of Appeals separately. Pillsbury Winthrop LLP Intellectual Property Group 1600 Tysons Boulevard By Atty: Paul N. Kokulis Req. No. 16773

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